

incoming call signal caller ID based on the time that said incoming call is received, retrieves a call answering message from said call answering message storage device based on the results of said determinations, and outputs said retrieved call answering message when a user of said mobile communication terminal has failed to answer said incoming call;

whereby incoming calls for the same user of said mobile communication terminal are capable of receiving different call answering messages based on the received caller ID, and the time that the incoming call from a particular caller as identified by said caller ID is received.

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1 7. (new) A mobile communication terminal as set forth in claim *1* 6, wherein said preselected caller ID information includes a caller's number and a caller's name corresponding to the caller's number, and a time-dependent control code associated with a caller's number for designating different call answering messages for answering incoming calls depending upon the time that a particular call is received from a caller having caller ID information stored in said caller ID storage device.

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1 8. (new) A mobile communication terminal as set forth in claim *1* 6, wherein said preselected caller ID information includes a caller's number and a caller's name corresponding to the caller's number, and a forced alert control code associated with a caller's number for triggering a forced alert option to alert a user of the mobile communication terminal of the presence of an incoming call from a caller having a forced alert control code associated with said caller ID information stored in said caller ID storage device.

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1 9. (new) A mobile communication terminal as set forth in claim *1* 6, wherein said preselected caller ID information includes a caller's number and a caller's name corresponding to the caller's number, and a locked dialing control code associated with a caller's number for allowing a caller to set a locked dialing option in said mobile communication terminal to prevent said mobile communication terminal from being used to make outgoing calls, whereby a user who has lost or misplaced the mobile